

## CLAIMS

I claim:

1           1.    A moisture absorbing garment for holding valued items  
2 while exercising, comprising:

3           a shirt having an exterior surface, an interior surface, a  
4 front portion, a rear portion, a bottom portion and side  
5 portions;

6           a plurality of waterproof pockets disposed along the  
7 exterior surface of said shirt;

8           an absorbent layer disposed along the bottom portion of the  
9 interior surface of said shirt;

10          a hem stitched around the entire bottom portion of said  
11 shirt;

12          a plurality of apertures defined in the hem on the front  
13 portion of said shirt; and

14          a drawstring disposed inside of said hem, the drawstring  
15 having ends extending from the apertures and having a stopper  
16 clamp connecting the ends of the drawstring.

1           2.    The moisture absorbing garment according to claim 1,  
2    wherein said plurality of pockets are stitched to the side  
3    portions of said shirt.

1           3.    The moisture absorbing garment according to claim 2,  
2    wherein said shirt has a side seam connecting the front portion  
3    and the rear portion, said pockets being disposed over the side  
4    seam.

1           4.    The moisture absorbing garment according to claim 1  
2    wherein said pockets further comprise:

3           an exterior layer made from a material identical to a  
4    material from which said shirt is made;

5           an interior waterproof layer sewn on an interior defined by  
6    the pocket, including an interior face of said exterior layer;

7           a flap disposed on each of said pockets, said flap being  
8    pivotable from an open position to a closed position in order to  
9    allow and seal off access to said pockets; and

10          a plurality of adhesive strips secured to said flap and  
11    said exterior layer for releasably securing said flaps in the  
12    closed position.

1           5.    The moisture absorbing garment according to claim 1,  
2    wherein said moisture absorbing layer is sewn to the interior  
3    surface of said shirt along side seams on the interior surface  
4    and is also stitched horizontally across the bottom portion of  
5    said shirt.

1           6.    The moisture absorbing garment according to claim 1,  
2    wherein said shirt is made from a material selected from the  
3    group consisting of mesh nylon, cotton and spandex.

1           7.    The moisture absorbing garment according to claim 6,  
2    wherein said shirt is made from 100% mesh nylon.

1           8.    The moisture absorbing garment according to claim 4,  
2    wherein said interior waterproof layer is 50% rubber and 50%  
3    stretch waterproof nylon.

1           9.    The moisture absorbing garment according to claim 1  
2    wherein said absorbing layer is 100% terry cloth cotton.

1        10.    The moisture absorbing garment according to claim 1  
2 wherein said drawstrings are 100% polyester.

1        11.    The moisture absorbing garment according to claim 1,  
2 wherein said stopping clamp is 100% plastic with a metal spring  
3 built inside.